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1. NO SIGNIFICANT TRACES RE IDEN B IN ADDITION TO THOSE IN REF.

2. FOLLOWING IS SUMMARY OF [ ] TRACES RE IDEN C.

A. PER EGNA-42565, 26 AUG 71. IN AUG 71 C

AND <sup>2</sup> ( ) SPOKE WITH IDEN C, WHO WAS FUNCTIONING AS "PUBLISHING AGENT" FOR GEHLEN'S MEMOIRS. IDEN C <sup>2</sup> STATED THAT ( ) COULD REST ASSURED THAT THE ENTIRE BOOK HAD BEEN REVIEWED AND CLEARED (SIC) BY ( ) AND HIS PEOPLE" AND THAT ALL WERE "AGREED, EXCITED AND ENTHUSIASTIC" ABOUT PUBLICATION OF MEMOIRS.

B. EGNA-42574, 31 AUG 71. GEHLEN ASKED ( )  
 3 ) PROBABLY AT IDEN C'S BEHEST, RE ( ) S BONA FIDES  
 AND HIS "CREDENTIALS". ALLEGEDLY ( ) HAD IDENTIFIED HIMSELF  
 AS "BKTRUST) REP FROM BERLIN"

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(WHICH WE CONSIDER HIGHLY <sup>U</sup>LIKELY) AND WAS ASKING QUESTIONS  
RE GEHLEN BOOK.

C. EGMA-75506, 29 SEPT 71. ☒ BASE REPORTED  
THAT ALIAS WINTERSTEIN HAD PROVIDED SOME BIOG INFO RE  
IDEN <sup>2</sup>C, INCLUDING FACT THAT HE IS SON OF IDEN <sup>5</sup>F, LONGTIME  
PERSONAL FRIEND OF GEHLEN. WINTERSTEIN STATED THAT NEITHER  
IDEN <sup>2</sup>C NOR IDEN <sup>5</sup>F IS OR WAS FORMALLY AFFILIATED WITH CASCOPE  
BUT THAT THEY HAD COLLABORATED WILLINGLY WITH CASCOPE BECAUSE  
OF IDEN <sup>5</sup>F'S FRIENDSHIP WITH GEHLEN.

D. ☒ 21237, 27 SEPT 71. ☒ REPORTED THAT  
☒ AND ☒ HAD TOLD STATION OFFICER THAT THEY WERE  
NEGOTIATING WITH IDEN <sup>2</sup>C FOR GEHLEN MEMOIR RIGHTS. CLAIMED  
THAT IDEN <sup>2</sup>C STATED THAT "WHOLE THING" BEING HELD UP PENDING  
"BKTRUST REVIEW" OF AND "REACTION" TO SEVERAL CHAPTERS OF  
MEMOIRS, WHICH GEHLEN HAD SUBMITTED TO THEM. ☒  
OFFERED TO "WORK WITH" BKTRUST ON KNOTTY ASPECTS TEXT AND  
SAID INTENDED "CLEAR" TEXT "WITH FRG" BEFORE PUBLICATION,  
SHOULD HIS COMPANY MANAGE PURCHASE RIGHTS.

E. EGMS-9478, 14 OCT 71. BACKGROUND INFO RE IDEN <sup>2</sup>C  
IN PUBLISHER'S WEEKLY ARTICLE RE WORLD PUBLISHING CO. AND

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GEHLEN MEMOIRS.

F. ☐ 14129, 27 OCT 71. ☐ INFORMED

☐ THAT HE HAD LEARNED FROM IDEN C THAT "A GROUP", WHICH INCLUDED GEHLEN, HAD POSSESSION OF "CANARIS DIARIES" AND PLANNED PUBLISH THEM. "DIARIES" ALLEGEDLY CONTAINED "EVIDENCE" OF MARTIN BORMANN'S LINK TO SOVIETS.

G. ☐ 14448, 6 DEC 71. ☐ INFORMED ☐  
 THAT IDEN C HAD STATED THAT "CANARIS DIARIES" DO EXIST, ARE IN POSSESSION IDEN ☐, AND THAT IN COLLABORATION WITH GEHLEN AND OTHER FORMER WEHRMACHT GENERAL STAFF OFFICERS, IDEN C PLANNED PUBLISH THEM IN 73. DIARIES REVEALED BORMAN SOVIET AGENT, AND THAT SOVIETS ENGINEERED REINHARD HEYDRICH'S ASSASSINATION BY CZECH AGENTS ☐ BECAUSE HEYDRICH HAD UNCOVERED ESVRATJKAXXFSØ' SMGNKTNL04\$.) BORMANN'S ACTIVITIES."

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3. NO SIGNIFICANT TRACES RE IDEN F OTHER THAN THOSE IN REF.

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\*IDEN B (1) claimed that IDEN C (2) works for "a BKTRUST task force under the direct command of ☐

XX PORTION GARBLE- BEING SVCD.

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